

RIDING CONTESTS TO START FAIR

Pike at the Farmers' Stunt
Tomorrow, Will Open at
3 O'clock.

NEW FEATURES PROMISED

"Slide for Life" and High
Diving Exhibition to Be
Given at Night.

The seventh annual County Fair of the students in the College of Agriculture will open at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon with a parade of pure-bred Percheron horses, beef and dairy cattle from the College Farm and Shetland ponies owned by Columbia boys and girls. The saddle horse, harness horse and women's riding contest will follow. At the same time, the various races, such as the backward crawl, pick-a-back and slow mule, will be run.

The pike, copied after the St. Louis pike, will be ready for business at 3 o'clock. Here will be found fun-making attractions that will please the old as well as the young. If one wants excitement, there are the air-devil and the bump-the-bumps to ride on; if novelty is desired, an old fashioned merry-go-round pulled by a white mule to the tune of an Arkansas fiddler will furnish it. If one gets tired of these mild forms of pleasure there is yet the Yellow Dog Saloon to visit.

Open Till Midnight.

The pike will be open and running until midnight. It will be brilliant with hundreds of lights of many colors. Several novel stunts will be given at night. "Tony Arena" will make the high slide for life and an exhibition of high diving will also be given.

While the frivolous are unwrapped in the joys of the pike and side-shows, the more dignified and reserved may find pleasure in the educational exhibits. Within this booth, the housewife or the future housewife may learn how to combat the common pests of the house, or the farmer may learn the latest methods of eradicating the chinch bug or the Hessian fly.

The agronomy and animal husbandry students have prepared exhibits that compare favorably with those displayed at the state fair. These students will give all possible information on the growing and raising of farm crops and animals.

How to Spray and Prune.

Fruit canned by students in horticulture will be displayed for inspection. The best methods of spraying and pruning will also be demonstrated.

The evolution of the champion cow Josephine will be a feature of the dairy exhibit. The original wooden hen and her latest brood as produced by scientific methods will be on exhibition. A display of poultry products will be arranged to demonstrate the greatness of the Missouri hen.

Free attractions are to be a new feature at the fair. It will cost nothing to take a ride on the "Human Roulette Wheel" and see the noted "Twist About" acrobats. A diver of local fame will plunge 50 feet into the dairy pond. The managers promise a "flaming dive," whatever that is.

B. J. Lay has prizes for some races. He suggests that anyone who wants to win a double rig for the afternoon should call him at Benton Hall before tonight for entrance blank.

Great Vessel Launched.

The "Mallory Steam Ship Line" has just launched the largest ocean-going vessel of its kind. It is absolutely unsinkable. The ship stops at all points, including Tampa, Key West and New York. This southern route is free from icebergs. This company is offering special rates with stop-overs. "For further information," say the farmers, "apply at pier No. 38 at the foot of St. Francis street at the Farmers' County Fair."

A Japanese garden is to be one of the features of the County Fair. H. P. Major, instructor in landscape gardening, will have charge of the decorating. He will use the University palms and the material left from the Machinery Building. Ice cream is to be served by girls in Japanese costumes.

SACKED A TON OF CONFETTI

Agricultural Students Put it in Small Bags in Twenty Minutes. Sacking a ton of confetti in twenty minutes was the record established by 400 students of the College of Agriculture last night. The confetti was piled on the tables in one

of the laboratories and the students put it in small paper bags. It will be used at the County Fair tomorrow. Every student in the College of Agriculture is working on something for the Fair.

The grounds will be well policed by both students and the members of the Columbia force. E. L. Anderson is chief of the student guards.

FREE SHOWS AT COUNTY FAIR

Many Attractions at Farmers' Annual Stunt Friday.

Nine free attractions have been arranged for the Farmers' County Fair next Friday. Among these are pack-a-back, Obstacle, Wheelbarrow and Slow Mule Races, "The Tumblers" and orchestra concerts, all of which will be given on the Pike during the live stock exhibit for the entertainment of those who do not care to see the stock show. Other free attractions are "The Slide for Life," "The Human Roulette Wheel" and High Diving.

E. H. Anderson is receiving entries for the various race events.

FIFTY GIRLS TO HELP AT FAIR

Will Run Stand, Fortune-telling Booth and a Show.

Fifty girls from the home economics department will help the farmers with their County Fair Friday night. They will have a stand that is to be on the modern plan. The fortune telling booth will be kept by them also. On the pike they will have a show. "What's What and Why." The idea is to show the new way of doing things as compared with the old.

Viewpoints

Why Not Buy Coal at Home?

Since it is of vital interest for a city to encourage buying at home and keep the money in circulation here, why doesn't the city set the example and buy their coal for the water and light plant from home producers instead of spending the people's money for Illinois coal? It would be of vast interest to the community at large to buy home coal even if the price would be a trifle higher. This is a subject that ought to be discussed and investigated by those directly interested in the welfare of Columbia. Thousands of dollars are spent for out of the county coal that rightfully should be spent at home. Would like to hear from some one else who has the interest of Columbia at heart, through these columns. S. A. S.

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PSYCHOLOGY CLUB MEETS

Address Last Night by P. F. Swindle An Assistant.

The Student's Psychology Club was addressed last night by P. F. Swindle an assistant in Psychology on "The Crustacean as a Psychological subject." Mr. Swindle showed that the old belief that the crustacean chooses its background to match its color is false, for the crustacean does not perceive color, he said. He also discussed the mechanism of color distribution over the organism. The address was followed by a discussion by members of the club. At the next meeting, April 8 A. P. Weiss will talk on "Mental Healing."

DIRECTIONS TO ROAD-BUILDERS

Curtis Hill Sends Instructions to All Parts of State.

Many new roads will be built and old ones repaired in Missouri this summer. Curtis Hill, state highway engineer, is sending instructions to all parts of the state as to the care of the roads.

The cross-state highway, which is

the route of the Old Trails Road, and the Santa Fe Trail will be improved and will be made the base for a general road system.

Considering Infirmary Bids.

The Boone County Court is in session this week. Today it was considering bids for putting a new roof on the county infirmary. No bid had been accepted at noon.

Tidd to Referee Track Meet.

Harry Tidd left today for Carrollton, where he will referee the Carroll county track meet tomorrow.

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